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SUBJ DEALING WITH PRESS IN GENEVA

AS YOU CAN IMAGINE, THERE IS ENORMOUS PRESS INTEREST
HERE IN WORKING GROUP MEETINGS AND WE HAVE HAD
NUMEROUS REQUESTS FOR INTERVIEWS, BACKGROUNDEERS, ETC.
UNLESS INSTRUCTED OTHERWISE, OUR POSITION IN
RESPONDING TO THESE REQUESTS IS THAT: (A) THIS
IS A WORKING GROUP OF THE PARTIES AND ANY PRESS
COMMENTS SHOULD COME FROM THEM OR UN; AND (B) ANY
U.S. COMMENT ON MIDDLE EAST NEGOTIATIONS WILL COME
FROM WASHINGTON. IN THIS CONNECTION WE NOTE UPI
STORY DATELINED GENEVA MAY 31 IN TODAY'S INTERNATIONAL
HERALD TRIBUNE QUOTING AMERICAN OFFICIALS AS
SAYING, AMONG OTHER THINGS, THAT RECONVENING
OF FULL GENEVA MIDDLE EAST PEACE CONFERENCE COULD
BEGIN IN JULY. NO MEMBER OF DELEGATION HAS
TALKED TO THE PRESS AND NEITHER WE NOR MISSION
PRESS OFFICER HAS ANY IDEA WHO SOURCE MAY BE FOR THIS
ITEM.ABRAMS

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